



**Advanced Pig
Programming
2:30-3:30pm**

Agenda

- **PIG Internals**
 - Logical Physical and M/R plan construction
 - Multi-query optimization
- **Writing your own UDF's**
 - **Eval Function**
 - **Filter Function**
 - **Accumulator Interface**
- **Zebra and Pig**



Pig Latin = Sweet Spot between SQL & Map-Reduce

	SQL	Pig	Map-Reduce
<i>Programming style</i>	Large blocks of declarative constraints	→	"Plug together pipes"
<i>Built-in data manipulations</i>	Group-by, Sort, Join, Filter, Aggregate, Top-k, etc...	←	Group-by, Sort
<i>Execution model</i>	Fancy; trust the query optimizer	→	Simple, transparent
<i>Opportunities for automatic optimization</i>	Many	←	Few (logic buried in map() and reduce())
<i>Data Schema</i>	Must be known at table creation	→	Not required, may be defined at runtime



Pig Latin Program an Example

We have a dataset

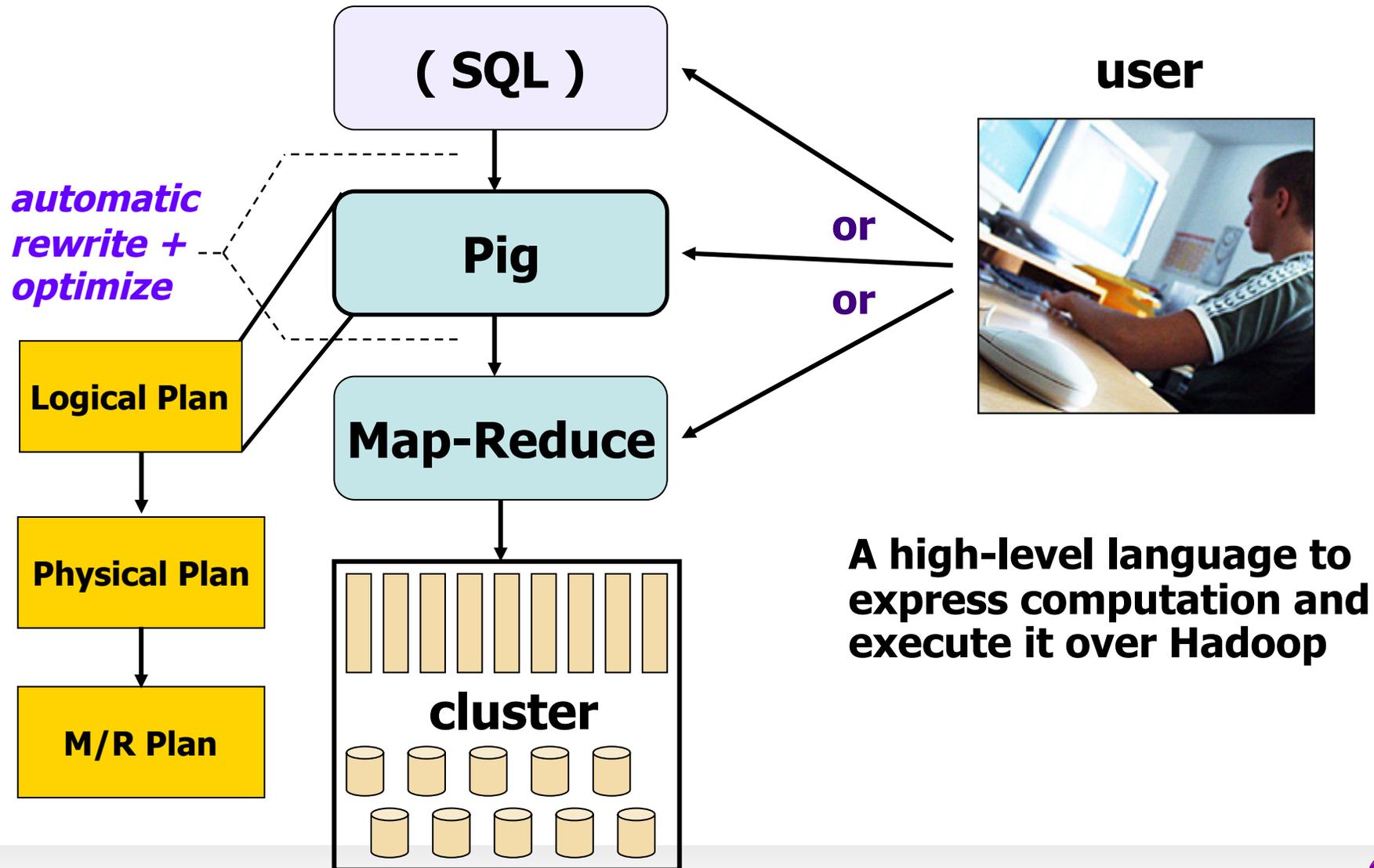
```
urls: (url, category, pagerank)
```

We want to know the top 10 urls per category as measured by pagerank for sufficiently large categories:

```
urls = load 'dataset'  
      as (url, category, pagerank);  
grps = group urls by category;  
bgrps = filter grps by  
        COUNT(urls) > 1000000;  
rslt = foreach bgrps  
        generate group, top10(urls);  
store rslt into 'myOutput';
```



Pig Architecture: Map-Reduce as Backend



From Pig Latin to Map Reduce



Script

```
A = load  
B = filter  
C = group  
D = foreach
```

Parser

Logical Plan \approx
relational algebra

Logical Plan

Semantic
Checks

Logical Plan

Plan standard
optimizations

Logical
Optimizer

Logical Plan

MapReduce
Launcher

Map-Reduce Plan

Physical
To MR
Translator

Physical Plan

Logical to
Physical
Translator

Jar to
hadoop



Map-Reduce Plan =
physical operators
broken into Map,
Combine, and
Reduce stages

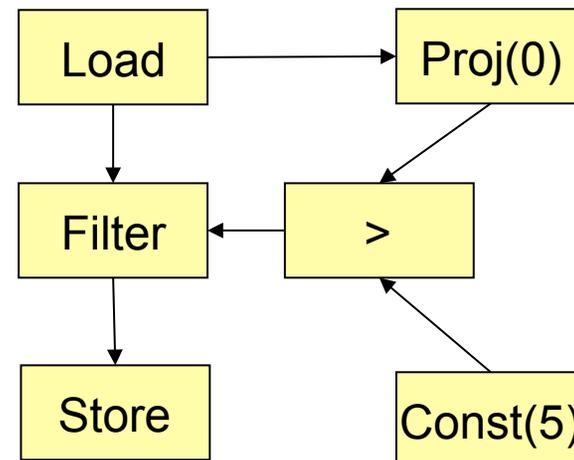
Physical Plan =
physical operators
to be executed



Logical Plan

- Consists of DAG of Logical Operators as nodes and Data Flow represented as edges
 - Logical Operators contain list of i/p's o/p's and schema
- Logical operators
 - Aid in post parse stage checking (type checking)
 - Optimization
 - Translation to Physical Plan

```
a = load 'myfile';  
b = filter a by $0 > 5;  
store b into 'myfilteredfile';
```



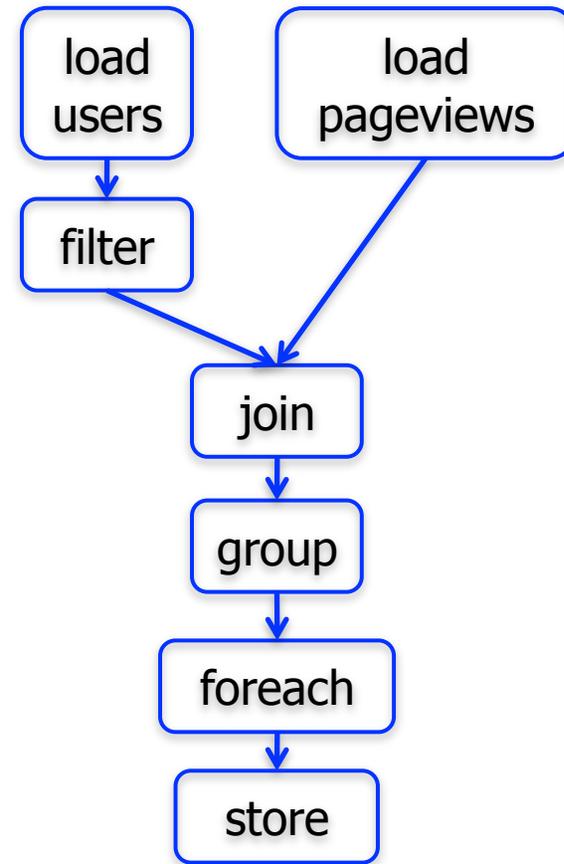
Pig Latin to Logical Plan

Pig Latin

```
A = load 'users' as (user, age);  
B = load 'pageviews' as (user, url);  
C = filter A by age < 18;  
D = join A by user, B by user;  
E = group D by url;  
F = foreach E generate  
    group, CalcScore(url);  
store F into 'scored_urls';
```



Logical Plan



Physical Plan

- Layer to map Logical Plan to multiple back-ends, one such being M/R (Map Reduce)
 - Chance for code re-use if multiple back-ends share same operator
- Consists of operators which Pig will run on the backend
- Currently most of the physical plan is placed as operators in the map reduce plan
- Logical to Physical Translation
 - 1:1 correspondence for most Logical operators
 - except Cross, Distinct, Group, Co-group and Order



Logical to Physical Plan for Co-Group operator

- Logical operator for co-group/group is converted to 3 Physical operators

- Local Rearrange (LR)

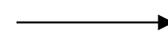
- Global Rearrange (GR) $\{1, \{(1,R)^1, (1,B)^2\}\}$

- Package (PKG) $\{2, \{(2,Y)^2, (2,G)^2\}\}$

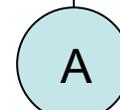
- Example:

- cogroup A by Acol1, B by Bcol1

$\{\text{Key}, (\text{Value})\}^{(\text{table no})}$

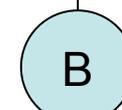


$\{1, (1,R)\}^1$
 $\{2, (2,G)\}^1$



(1,R)

Acol1 → (2,G)



(1,B)

Bcol1 → (2,Y)



$\{1, \{(1,R)^1, (1,B)^2\}\}$
 $\{2, \{(2,G)^1, (2,Y)^2\}\}$



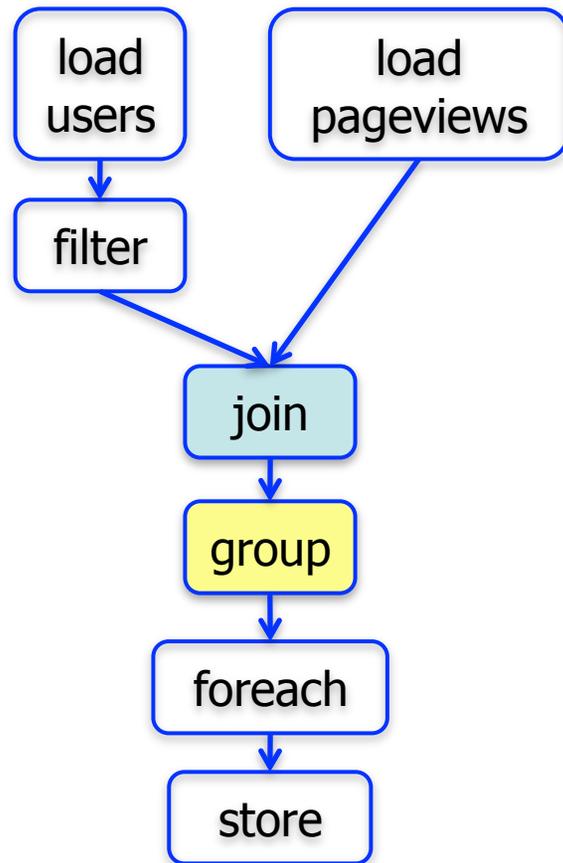
$\{\text{Key}, \{\text{List of Values}\}\}$

Tuples

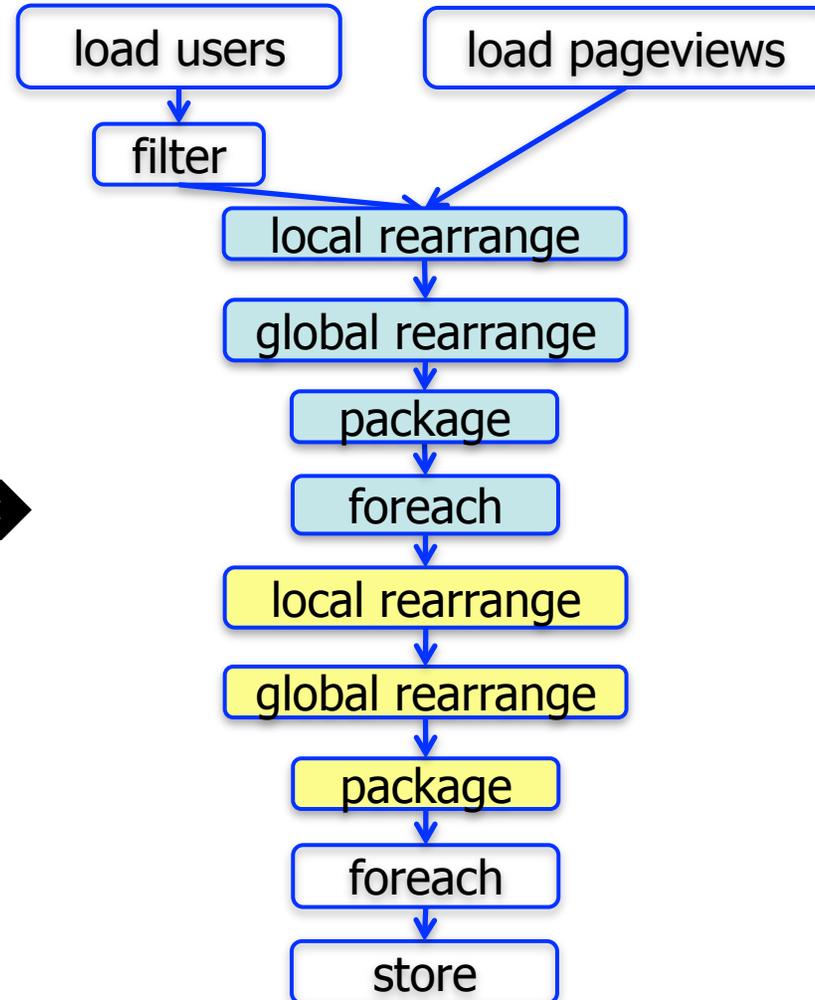


Logical to Physical Plan

Logical Plan

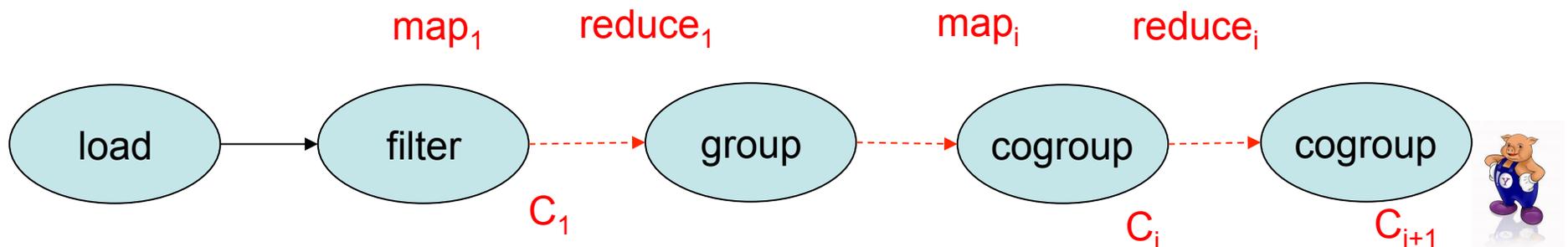


Physical Plan



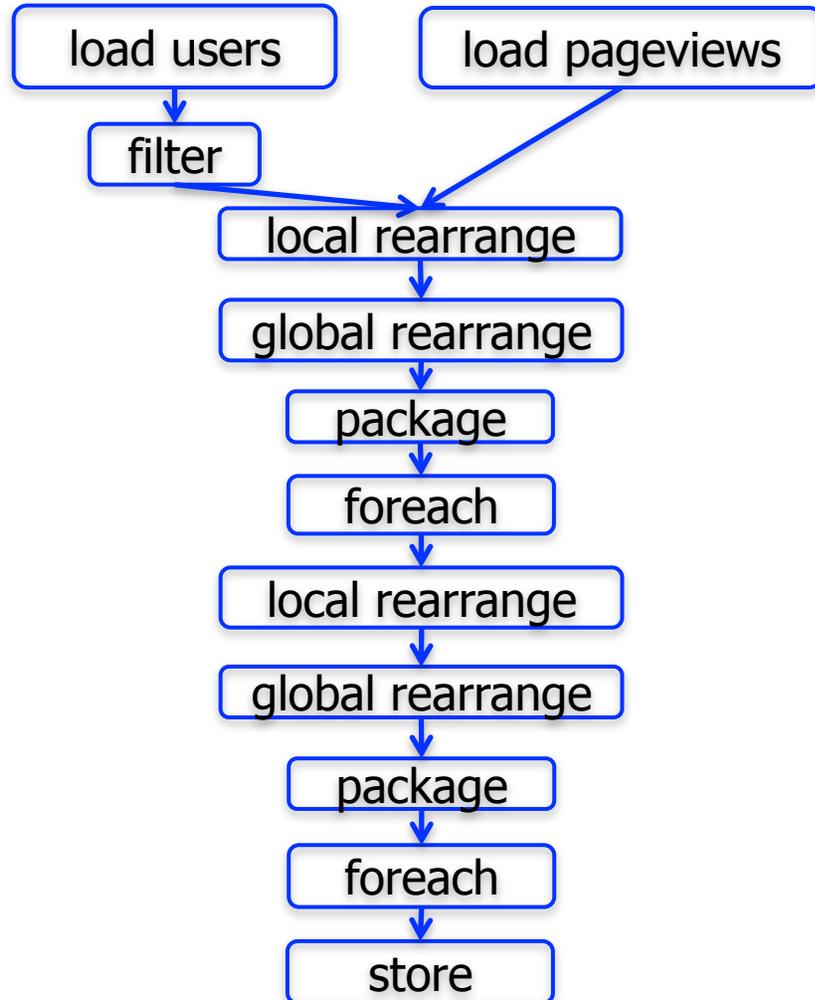
Map Reduce Plan

- Physical to Map Reduce (M/R) Plan conversion happens through the MRCompiler
 - Converts a physical plan into a DAG of M/R operators
- Boundaries for M/R include cogroup/group, distinct, cross, order by, limit (in some cases)
 - Push all subsequent operators between cogroup to next cogroup into reduce
 - order by is implemented as 2 M/R jobs
- JobControlCompiler then uses the M/R plan to construct a JobControl object

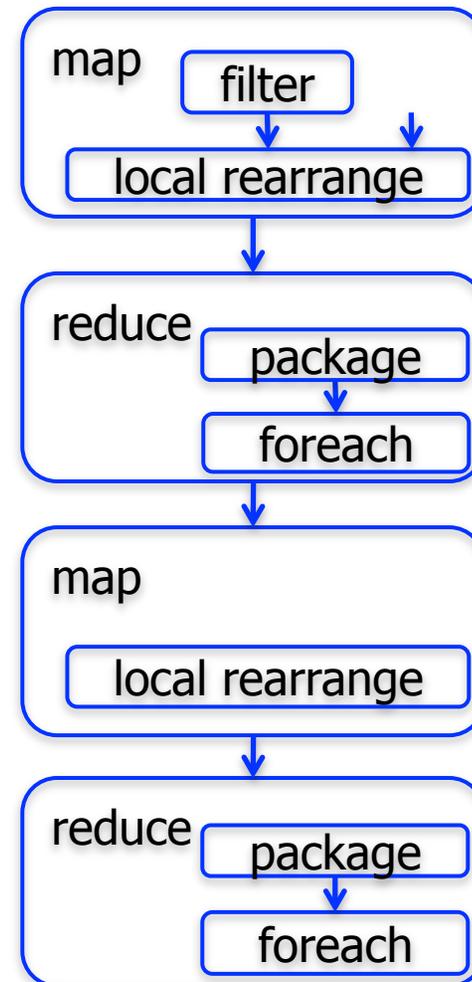


Physical to Map-Reduce Plan

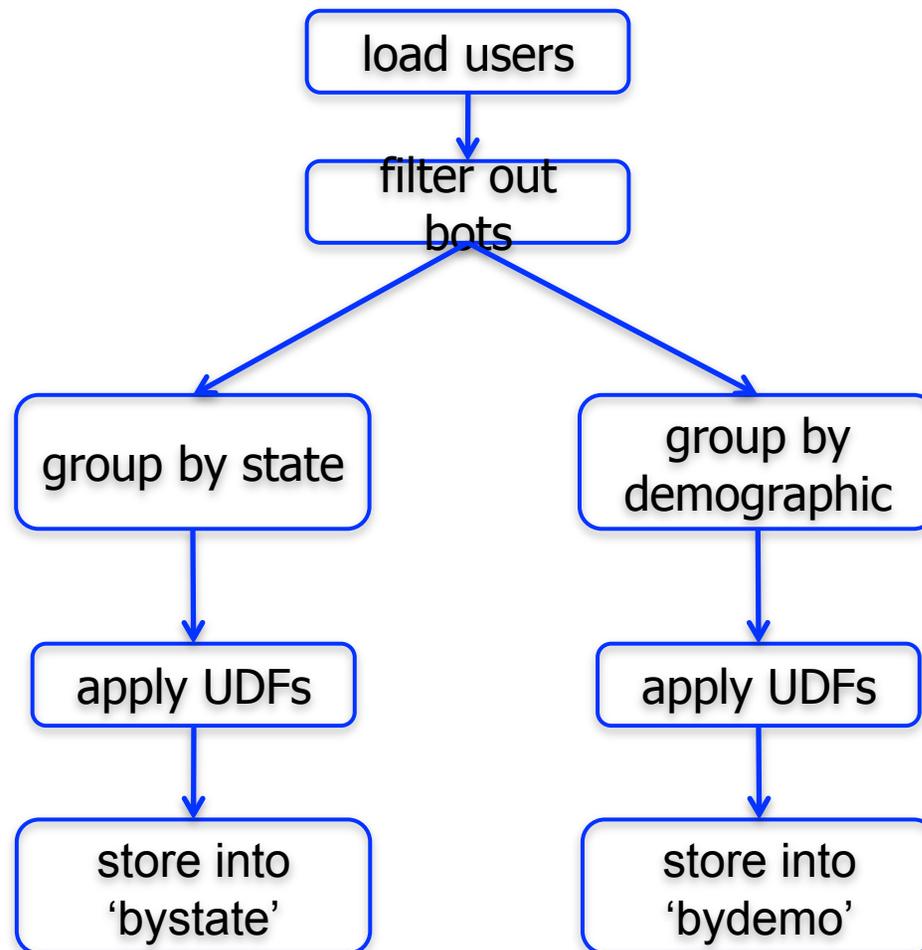
Physical Plan



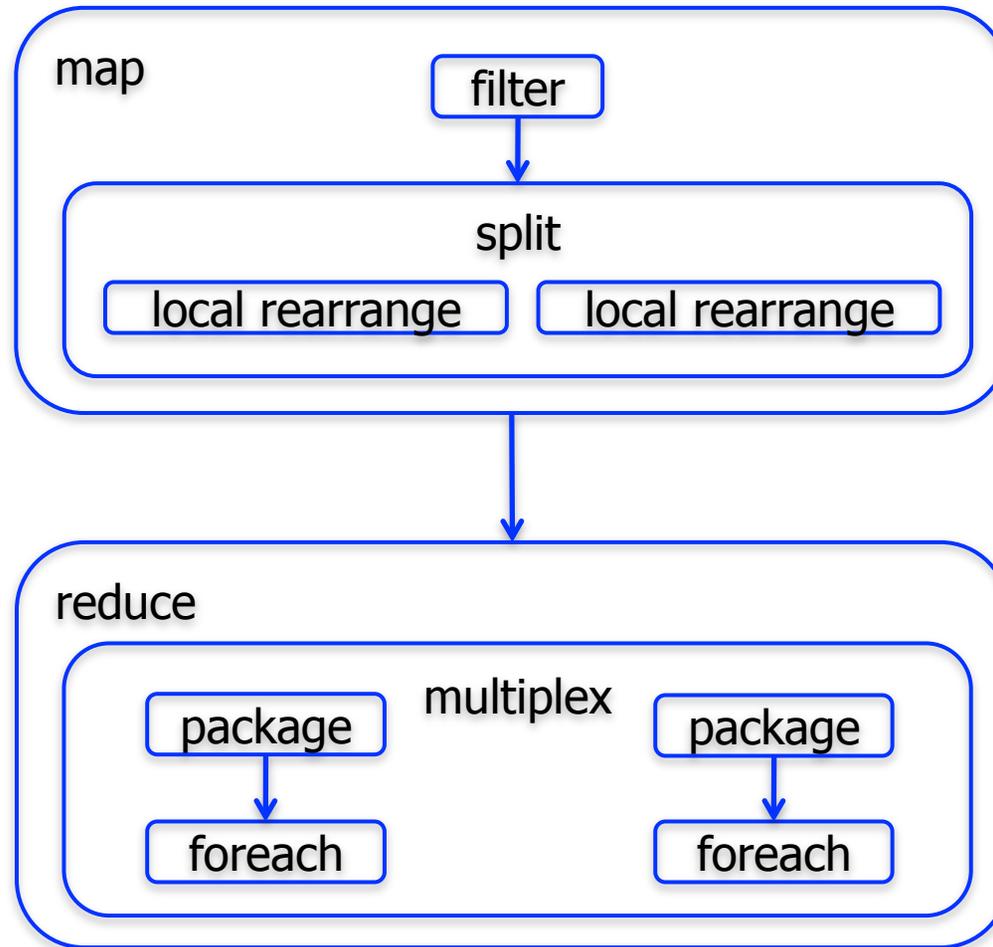
Map-Reduce Plan



Sharing Scans - Multi query optimization



Multiple Group Map-Reduce Plan



Running Pig

- **Pig can run two run modes or exectypes and they produce the same end results)**
 - **Local mode:**
 - **Hadoop mode** (access to Hadoop cluster and HDFS):
- **Run Pig in 3 ways, in the 2 modes above**
 - **Grunt Shell:** enter Pig commands manually by using Pig's interactive shell, Grunt
 - **Script File:** Place Pig commands in a script file and run the script
 - **Embedded Program:** embed Pig commands in Java and then run the program



Pig Built-in Functions

- Pig has a variety of built-in functions:
 - **Storage**
 - **TextLoader**: for loading unstructured text files. Each line is loaded as a tuple with a single field which is the entire line.
 - **Filter**
 - **isEmpty**: tests if bags are empty
 - **Eval Functions**
 - **COUNT**: computes number of elements in a bag
 - **SUM**: computes the sum of the numeric values in a single-column bag
 - **AVG**: computes the average of the numeric values in a single-column bag
 - **MIN/MAX**: computes the min/max of the numeric values in a single-column bag.
 - **SIZE**: returns size of any datum example map
 - **CONCAT**: concatenate two chararrays or two bytearrays
 - **TOKENIZE**: splits a string and outputs a bag of words
 - **DIFF**: compares the fields of a tuple with arity 2



How to Write a Simple Eval Function

- Eval is the most common function and can be used in FOREACH statement of Pig

```
--myscript.pig
```

```
REGISTER myudfs.jar;
```

```
A = LOAD 'student_data' AS (name:chararray, age: int,  
    gpa: float);
```

```
B = FOREACH A GENERATE myudfs.UPPER(name);
```

```
DUMP B;
```



Java Source for UPPER UDF

```
package myudfs;
import java.io.IOException;
import org.apache.pig.EvalFunc;
import org.apache.pig.data.Tuple;
import org.apache.pig.impl.util.WrappedIOException;
public class UPPER extends EvalFunc<String>
{
    public String exec(Tuple input) throws IOException
    {
        if (input == null || input.size() == 0)
            return null;
        try
        {
            String str = (String)input.get(0);
            return str.toUpperCase();
        }
        catch(Exception e)
        {
            throw wrappedIOException.wrap("Caught exception processing
input row ", e);
        }
    }
}
```



Eval UDF's specific example

```
package ExpectedClick.Evals;  
  
public class LineAdToMatchtype extends EvalFunc<DataBag>  
{  
    private String lineAdSourceToMatchtype (String lineAdSource)  
    {  
        if (lineAdSource.equals("0"))  
            { return "1"; }  
        else if (lineAdSource.equals("9")) { return "2"; }  
        else if (lineAdSource.equals("13")) { return "3"; }  
        else return "0";  
    }  
    ...  
}
```



Eval UDF's example

```
public DataBag exec (Tuple input) throws IOException
{
    if (input == null || input.size() == 0)
        return null;
    String lineAdSource;
    try {
        lineAdSource = (String)input.get(0);
    } catch(Exception e) {
        System.err.println
("ExpectedClick.Evals.LineAdToMatchType: Can't convert field to a
string; error = " + e.getMessage());
        return null;
    }
    Tuple t = DefaultTupleFactory.getInstance().newTuple();
    try {
        t.set(0,lineAdSourceToMatchtype(lineAdSource));
    }catch(Exception e) {}
    DataBag output = DefaultBagFactory.getInstance
().newDefaultBag();
    output.add(t);
    return output;
}
```



Compiling and using Eval UDFs

Create a jar of the UDFs

```
[viraj@machine]$ ls ExpectedClick/Eval  
LineAdToMatchtype.java
```

```
[viraj@machine]$ javac -cp $PIG_HOME/pig.jar ExpectedClick/Eval/  
*.java
```

```
[viraj@machine]$ jar -cf ExpectedClick.jar ExpectedClick/Eval/*
```

Use your function in the Pig Script

```
register ExpectedClick.jar;  
offer = LOAD '/user/viraj/dataset' USING PigStorage() AS (a,b,c);  
  
convertedoffer = FOREACH offer GENERATE a AS query,  
FLATTEN(ExpectedClick.EvalIs.LineAdToMatchtype((chararray)b)) AS  
matchtype, ..
```

Aggregate Functions

- Aggregate functions are another type of eval function usually applied to grouped data
- Takes a bag and returns a scalar value
- Aggregate functions can use the [Algebraic](#) interface to perform intermediate computations in the Combiner

```
A = LOAD 'student_data' AS (name: chararray, age: int, gpa: float);
```

```
B = GROUP A BY name;
```

```
C = FOREACH B GENERATE group, COUNT(A);
```

```
DUMP C;
```



Algebric Interface

- Algebric Inteface consists of the following functions:
 - getInitial()
 - exec function of the Initial class is called once and is passed the original input tuple and is called in the Map
 - getIntermed()
 - exec function of the Intermed class can be called zero or more times by the Combiner
 - getFinal()
 - exec function of the Final class is invoked once by the Reducer



COUNT Aggregate function

```
public class COUNT extends EvalFunc<Long> implements Algebraic
{
    public Long exec(Tuple input) throws IOException {
        return count(input);
    }
    public String getInitial() {
        return Initial.class.getName();
    }
    public String getIntermed() {
        return Intermed.class.getName();
    }
    public String getFinal() {
        return Final.class.getName();
    }
    static public class Initial extends EvalFunc<Tuple>
    {
        public Tuple exec(Tuple input) throws IOException {
            return TupleFactory.getInstance().newTuple(count(input));
        }
    }
    static public class Intermed extends EvalFunc<Tuple>
    {
        public Tuple exec(Tuple input) throws IOException {
            return TupleFactory.getInstance().newTuple(sum(input));
        }
    }
}
```



COUNT Aggregate function

```
static public class Final extends EvalFunc<Long>
{
    public Tuple exec(Tuple input) throws IOException {return sum(input);}
}
static protected Long count(Tuple input) throws ExecException {
    Object values = input.get(0);
    if (values instanceof DataBag)
        return ((DataBag)values).size();
    else if (values instanceof Map)
        return new Long(((Map)values).size());
}

static protected Long sum(Tuple input) throws ExecException, NumberFormatException {
    DataBag values = (DataBag)input.get(0);
    long sum = 0;
    for (Iterator (Tuple) it = values.iterator(); it.hasNext();) {
        Tuple t = it.next();
        sum += (Long)t.get(0);
    }
    return sum;
}
}
```



Filter Function

- Filter functions are eval functions that return a boolean value
- Filter functions can be used anywhere a Boolean expression is appropriate
 - FILTER operator or Bincond

- Example use Filter Func to implement outer join

```
A = LOAD 'student_data' AS (name: chararray, age: int, gpa: float);
```

```
B = LOAD 'voter_data' AS (name: chararray, age: int, registration: chararray, contributions: float);
```

```
C = COGROUP A BY name, B BY name;
```

```
D = FOREACH C GENERATE group, flatten((IsEmpty(A) ? null : A)),  
    flatten((IsEmpty(B) ? null : B));
```

```
dump D;
```



isEmpty FilterFunc

```
import java.io.IOException;
import java.util.Map;
import org.apache.pig.FilterFunc;
import org.apache.pig.backend.executionengine.ExecException;
import org.apache.pig.data.DataBag;
import org.apache.pig.data.Tuple;
import org.apache.pig.data.DataType;
import org.apache.pig.impl.util.WrappedIOException;
public class IsEmpty extends FilterFunc
{
    public Boolean exec(Tuple input) throws IOException
    {
        if (input == null || input.size() == 0) return null;
        try {
            Object values = input.get(0);
            if (values instanceof DataBag)
                return ((DataBag)values).size() == 0;
            else if (values instanceof Map)
                return ((Map)values).size() == 0;
            else {
                throw new IOException("Cannot test a " + DataType.findTypeName(values) + "
for emptiness.");
            }
        }
        catch (ExecException ee) {
            throw wrappedIOException.wrap("Caught exception processing input row ", ee);
        }
    }
}
```



Schema specifications in UDF

- The below script does not work correctly

```
register myudfs.jar;
```

```
A = load 'student_data' as (name:chararray, age:int, gpa:float);
```

```
B = foreach A generate flatten(myudfs.Swap(name, age)), gpa;
```

```
C = foreach B generate $2;
```

```
D = limit B 20;
```

```
dump D;
```

Error java.io.IOException: Out of bound access. Trying to access non existent column: 2. Schema {bytearray,gpa: float} has 2 column(s).

- If a UDF returns a tuple or a bag and schema information is not provided
 - Pig assumes that the tuple contains a single field of type bytearray



Swap UDF

```
package myudfs;
import java.io.IOException;
import org.apache.pig.EvalFunc;
import org.apache.pig.data.Tuple;
import org.apache.pig.data.TupleFactory;
import org.apache.pig.impl.logicalLayer.schema.Schema;
import org.apache.pig.data.DataType;

public class Swap extends EvalFunc<Tuple> {
    public Tuple exec(Tuple input) throws IOException {
        if (input == null || input.size() < 2)
            return null;
        try{
            Tuple output = TupleFactory.getInstance().newTuple(2);
            output.set(0, input.get(1));
            output.set(1, input.get(0));
            return output;
        } catch(Exception e){
            System.err.println("Failed to process input; error - " + e.getMessage());
            return null;
        }
    }
}
```



Swap UDF now containing Schema info

```
public Schema outputSchema(Schema input) {
    try{
        Schema tupleSchema = new Schema();
        tupleSchema.add(input.getField(1));
        tupleSchema.add(input.getField(0));
        return new Schema(new Schema.FieldSchema(getSchemaName(this.getClass
().getName().toLowerCase(), input),tupleSchema, DataType.TUPLE));
    }catch (Exception e){
        return null;
    }
}
```

**B = foreach A generate flatten(myudfs.Swap(name, age)), gpa;
describe B;**

B: {myudfs.swap_age_3::age: int,myudfs.swap_age_3::name:chararray,gpa: float}



Accumulator Interface

- Normally Pig passes the entire bag from a group/cogroup to UDF's
- Using the Accumulator interface, Pig guarantees that the data for the same key is passed continuously but in small increments

```
public interface Accumulator <T> {  
    /**  
     * Process tuples. Each DataBag may contain 0 to many tuples for current key  
     */  
    public void accumulate(Tuple b) throws IOException;  
    /**  
     * Called when all tuples from current key have been passed to the accumulator.  
     * @return the value for the UDF for this key.  
     */  
    public T getValue();  
    /**  
     * called after getValue() to prepare processing for next key.  
     */  
    public void cleanup();  
}
```



IntMax UDF using Accumulator Interface

```
public class IntMax extends EvalFunc<Integer> implements Algebraic,
    Accumulator<Integer>
{
    /* Accumulator interface */
    private Integer intermediateMax = null;
    @Override
    public void accumulate(Tuple b) throws IOException {
        try {
            Integer curMax = max(b);
            if (curMax == null) {
                return;
            }
            /* if bag is not null, initialize intermediateMax to negative infinity */
            if (intermediateMax == null) {
                intermediateMax = Integer.MIN_VALUE;
            }
            intermediateMax = java.lang.Math.max(intermediateMax, curMax);
        } catch (ExecException ee) {
            throw ee;
        } catch (Exception e) {
            int errCode = 2106;
            String msg = "Error while computing max in " + this.getClass
                ().getSimpleName();
            throw new ExecException(msg, errCode, PigException.BUG, e);
        }
    }
}
```



IntMax using Accumulator Interface

```
@Override
public void cleanup() {
    intermediateMax = null;
}
@Override
public Integer getValue() {
    return intermediateMax;
}
}
```



Load Function

- LoadFunc abstract class has the main methods for loading data
- 3 important interfaces
 - LoadMetadata has methods to deal with metadata
 - LoadPushDown has methods to push operations from pig runtime into loader implementations
 - LoadCaster has methods to convert byte arrays to specific types
 - implement this method if your loader casts (implicit or explicit) from DataByteArray fields to other types
- Functions to be implemented
 - getInputFormat()
 - setLocation()
 - prepareToRead()
 - getNext()
 - *setUdfContextSignature()*
 - *relativeToAbsolutePath()*



Regex Loader Example

```
public class RegexLoader extends LoadFunc {
    private LineRecordReader in = null;
    long end = Long.MAX_VALUE;
    private final Pattern pattern;
    public RegexLoader(String regex) {
        pattern = Pattern.compile(regex);
    }
    public InputFormat getInputFormat() throws IOException {
        return new TextInputFormat();
    }
    public void prepareToRead(RecordReader reader, PigSplit split)
        throws IOException {
        in = (LineRecordReader) reader;
    }
    public void setLocation(String location, Job job) throws IOException {
        FileInputFormat.setInputPaths(job, location);
    }
}
```



Regex Loader

```
public Tuple getNext() throws IOException {
    if (!in.nextKeyValue()) {
        return null;
    }
    Matcher matcher = pattern.matcher("");
    TupleFactory mTupleFactory = DefaultTupleFactory.getInstance();
    String line;
    boolean tryNext = true;
    while (tryNext) {
        Text val = in.getCurrentValue();
        if (val == null) {
            break;
        }
        line = val.toString();
        if (line.length() > 0 && line.charAt(line.length() - 1) == '\r') {
            line = line.substring(0, line.length() - 1);
        }
        matcher = matcher.reset(line);
    }
    ArrayList<DataByteArray> list = new ArrayList<DataByteArray>();
    if (matcher.find()) {
        tryNext=false;
        for (int i = 1; i <= matcher.groupCount(); i++) {
            list.add(new DataByteArray(matcher.group(i)));
        }
        return mTupleFactory.newTuple(list);
    }
}

return null;
}}
```



Embed Pig Latin in Java

```
/* create a pig server in the main class*/  
{  
    PigServer pigserver = new PigServer(args[0]);  
    runMyQuery(pigServer, "/user/viraj/mydata.txt")  
}
```

```
/* submit in function runMyQuery */
```

```
runMyQuery(PigServer pigServer, String inputFile) throws  
IOException {  
    pigServer.registerQuery("A = load '" + inputFile +  
    "' as (f1,f2,f3);");  
    pigServer.registerQuery("B = group A by f1;");  
    pigServer.registerQuery("C = foreach B generate  
flatten(group);");  
    pigServer.store("C", "/user/viraj/myoutput");  
}
```



Use EXPLAIN to Understand Logical, Physical & M/R Plan

```
grunt> sportsviews = load 'sportsviews.txt' as (userId: chararray, team: chararray, timestamp: int);
grunt> groupsportsviews = group sportsviews by userId;
grunt> describe group_sportsviews;
groupsportsviews: {group: chararray, sports_views: {userId: chararray, team: chararray, timestamp: integer}}
grunt> dump sportsviews;
(alice, {(alice, lakers, 3), (alice, lakers, 7)})
grunt> explain groupsportsviews
```

```
-----
| Map Reduce Plan                                     |
-----
MapReduce node viraj-Sat Oct 25 20:38:23 UTC 2008-2261
Map Plan
Local Rearrange[tuple]{chararray}(false) - viraj-Sat Oct 25 20:38:23 UTC 2008-2258
|
| Project[chararray][0] - viraj-Sat Oct 25 20:38:23 UTC 2008-2259
|
|---New For Each(false,false,false)[bag] - viraj-Sat Oct 25 20:38:23 UTC 2008-2255
|   |
|   | Cast[chararray] - viraj-Sat Oct 25 20:38:23 UTC 2008-2250
|   | |---Project[bytearray][0] - viraj-Sat Oct 25 20:38:23 UTC 2008-2249
|   | |
|   | | Cast[chararray] - viraj-Sat Oct 25 20:38:23 UTC 2008-2252
|   | | |---Project[bytearray][1] - viraj-Sat Oct 25 20:38:23 UTC 2008-2251
|   | | |
|   | | | Cast[integer] - viraj-Sat Oct 25 20:38:23 UTC 2008-2254
|   | | | |---Project[bytearray][2] - viraj-Sat Oct 25 20:38:23 UTC 2008-2253
|   |
|   |---Load(sports_views.txt;org.apache.pig.builtin.PigStorage) - viraj-Sat Oct 25 20:38:23 UTC 2008-2248-----
Reduce Plan
Store(fakefile;org.apache.pig.builtin.PigStorage) - viraj-Sat Oct 25 20:38:23 UTC 2008-2260
|
|---Package[tuple]{chararray} - viraj-Sat Oct 25 20:38:23 UTC 2008-2257-----
Global sort: false
-----
```



LIMIT Reduces Records for Debugging

- **LIMIT** allows to limit the number of output tuples produced
- Where possible limit is pushed up the execution pipeline to drop records as soon as possible (But no guarantee on which rows are returned)
- No order guarantees, except when **LIMIT** *immediately* follows **ORDER BY**

```
grunt> sports_views = load 'sports_views_long.txt' as  
(userId: chararray,team: chararray,timestamp : int);  
grunt> sport_vieworder = order sports_views by timestamp;  
grunt> sports_viewlimit = limit sport_vieworder 10;  
grunt> dump sports_viewlimit
```



Pig LIMIT Example

```
[viraj@gsgw1011 ~/pigscripts]$ pig --latest --x local
grunt> sports_views = load 'sports_views_long.txt' as (userId: chararray,team: chararray,timestamp : int);
grunt> sports_viewslimit = limit sports_views 10;
grunt> dump sports_views;
(alice,lakers,7)
(alan,sun,5)
(peter,knicks,12)
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grunt> dump sports_viewslimit;
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How to Increase Performance of Pig Scripts

- **Project Early project and Often**
 - Pig does not (yet) determine when a field is no longer needed or drop the field from the row
 - Performance improvement of 50% in some cases
- **Filter Early and Often**
- **Drop Nulls Before a Join**
 - Performance improvement of 10x when 7% of keys were null
- **Prefer DISTINCT over GROUP BY - GENERATE**
 - For extracting the unique values from a column in a relation
 - 20x faster in some cases
- **Use the right type of data** whenever possible
 - Results in better parse time error-checking
 - Efficient execution



How to Increase Performance of Pig Scripts

Not Optimized

```
A = load 'myfile' as (t, u, v);
B = load 'myotherfile' as (x, y, z);
C = join A by t, B by x;
D = group C by u;
E = foreach D generate group, COUNT($1);
```

```
A = load 'myfile' as (t, u, v);
B = load 'myotherfile' as (x, y, z);
C = join A by t, B by x;
```

```
A = load 'myfile' as (t, u, v);
B = load 'myotherfile' as (x, y, z);
C1 = cogroup A by t, B by x;
C = foreach C1 generate flatten(A), flatten(B);
```

```
A = load 'myfile' as (t, u, v);
B = foreach A generate u;
C = group B by u;
D = foreach C generate group as uniquekey;
dump D;
```

Optimized

```
A = load 'myfile' as (t, u, v);
A1 = foreach A generate t, u;
B = load 'myotherfile' as (x, y, z);
B1 = foreach B generate x;
C = join A1 by t, B1 by x;
C1 = foreach C generate t, u;
D = group C1 by u;
E = foreach D generate group, COUNT($1);
```

project early

```
A = load 'myfile' as (t, u, v);
B = load 'myotherfile' as (x, y, z);
A1 = filter A by t is not null;
B1 = filter B by x is not null;
C = join A1 by t, B1 by x;
```

drop nulls before join

```
A = load 'myfile' as (t, u, v);
B = foreach A generate u;
C = distinct B;
dump C;
```

prefer distinct



How to Increase Performance of Pig Scripts

Not Optimized

```
A = load 'myfile' as (t, u, v);
B = load 'myotherfile' as (x, y, z);
C = filter A by t == 1;
D = join C by t, B by x;
E = group D by u;
F = foreach E generate group, COUNT($1);
```

Optimized

```
A = load 'myfile' as (t, u, v);
B = load 'myotherfile' as (x, y, z);
C = join A by t, B by x;
D = group C by u;
E = foreach D generate group, COUNT($1);
F = filter E by C.t == 1;
```

filter early and often

```
A = load 'myfile' as (t, u, v);
B = foreach A generate t + u;
```

```
A = load 'myfile' as (t: int, u: int, v);
B = foreach A generate t + u;
```

use types

```
A = load 'data' as (in: map[]);
-- get key out of the map
B = foreach A generate in#k1 as k1, in#k2 as k2;
-- concatenate the keys
C = foreach B generate CONCAT(k1, k2);
.....
```

```
A = load 'data' as (in: map[]);
-- concatenate the keys from the map
B = foreach A generate CONCAT(in#k1, in#k2);
.....
```

reduce operator pipeline



Increase Number of Reducers

- **Map parallelism depends on data size**
 - Approximately one map per 128MB data on the Grid
 - Number of maps created for your M/R depends on the splits produced by input format (and presently not configurable in Pig)
- **Reduce parallelism can be defined with PARALLEL keyword**
 - Can be put on any GROUP, COGROUP or JOIN construct (but doesn't affect FOREACH - map only)
 - J = JOIN A by url, B by url PARALLEL 20**
(20 reducers will be used in your M/R job)
 - If **PARALLEL** is not specified then 1 reducer is used
 - “**set default_parallel constant**” in Pig script will set same number of reducers for every M/R job



Increase Performance of Pig Scripts

- **When doing a join/cogroup, place your largest data or table last**

```
small = load 'data1';  
large = load 'data2';  
myoptjoin = join small by $0, large by $0;
```

- **Write queries to invoke combiner as 10x performance improvements are observed when using it**

Use of Algebraic interface when writing UDFs:

```
Y = group X by $0;  
Z = foreach Y generate group, COUNT(X), SUM(X);
```

```
Y = group X by $0, $1;  
Z = foreach Y generate flatten(group), SUM(X);
```

```
Y = group X all;  
Z = foreach Y generate COUNT(X);
```

```
Y = group X by $0;  
Z = foreach Y generate COUNT(X), group;
```



Fragment Replicate Join

- **Use Fragment Replicate Join**

- If you have a small (< 100M) table, then

- `J = join big by $0, small by $0 using “replicated”;`

- **Distribute processing of huge files by fragmenting** it – then, **replicate** the small file to all machines (which have a fragment of the huge file)

- Basically written as Pig UDF

- <http://wiki.apache.org/pig/PigFRJoin>



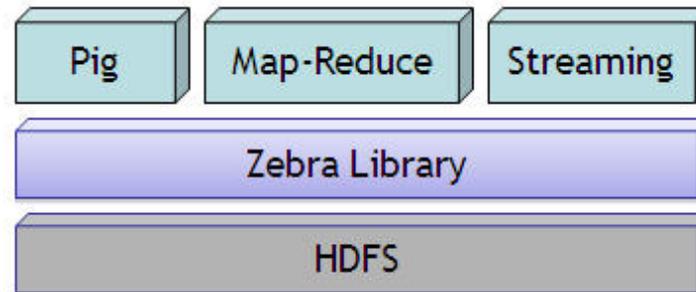
Use Skewed Join

- Parallel joins are vulnerable to the presence of skew in the underlying data
- If the underlying data is sufficiently skewed, load imbalances will swamp any of the parallelism gains
- Skewed join can be used when the underlying data is sufficiently skewed and you need a finer control over the allocation of reducers to counteract the skew

```
big = LOAD 'big_data' AS (b1,b2,b3);  
massive = LOAD 'massive_data' AS (m1,m2,m3);  
C = JOIN big BY b1, massive BY m1 USING "skewed";
```



Zebra



- Zebra is an access path library for reading and writing data in a column-oriented fashion
- Zebra functions as an abstraction layer between your client application and data on the Hadoop Distributed File System (HDFS)
- Zebra supports client applications written as Pig, MapReduce, or Streaming



Zebra and Pig

- Loading Data

```
register /grid/0/gs/pig/current/libexec/released/zebra.jar;  
A = LOAD 'studenttab' USING org.apache.hadoop.zebra.pig.TableLoader();  
B = FOREACH A GENERATE name, age, gpa;
```

- Map Side and Merge Join

```
A = LOAD 'studenttab' USING org.apache.hadoop.zebra.pig.TableLoader('',  
    'sorted');  
B = LOAD 'votertab' USING org.apache.hadoop.zebra.pig.TableLoader('',  
    'sorted');  
G = JOIN A BY $0, B BY $0 USING "merge";  
    - Map-side group  
    - Loader will perform sort-preserving merge to make sure that the data  
      is globally sorted
```

```
A = LOAD 'studentsortedtab, studentnullsortedtab' using  
    org.apache.hadoop.zebra.pig.TableLoader('name, age, gpa, source_table',  
    'sorted');  
B = GROUP A BY $0 USING "collected";  
C = FOREACH B GENERATE group, MAX(a.$1);
```



Pig Resources



- **Documentation**

- General info: <http://wiki.apache.org/pig/>
- Pig Documentation + UDF: <http://hadoop.apache.org/pig/docs/r0.7.0/>

- **Mailing lists**

- External: pig-user@hadoop.apache.org

- **Issue-tracking**

- External: <http://issues.apache.org/jira/browse/PIG>



